

## Message Text

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TAGS : PINT YO

SUBJECT : MEDIA STRIKES AT MIDDLE EAST POLICY DISSENT

1. ARTICLE BY ZVONIMIR KRISTL IN ZAGREB'S OCTOBER 30 "VJESNIK" COMPLAINED THAT "ZIONIST AGENTS ARE CONNING THE GULLIBLE AND ASKING WHY WE HAVE 'UNNECESSARILY' ALIGNED OURSELVES WITH THE 'UNRELIABLE' ARABS. THEY ASK WOULDN'T IT BE BETTER INSTEAD TO ADOPT AN 'OBJECTIVE' AND 'PRUDENT' POLICY ALONG WESTERN EUROPEAN LINES? THESE SORTS ARE MOVING EVER MORE OPENLY TODAY TO INCITE THROUGH WRITING TO NEWSPAPER EDITORS AND EVEN BY THREATENING THOSE WHO DARE PUBLICLY DEFEND OUR GOVERNMENT'S POLICY." SIMILARLY, IN A SARAJEVO TV BROADCAST CARRIED OCTOBER 28 ON ZAGREB TV, A COMMENTATOR GAVE LIGHTLY VEILED WARNING AGAINST DISSENT ON YUGOSLAVIA'S MIDDLE EAST POLICY.

2. COMMENT: THESE ARE FIRST INDICATIONS NOTED HERE OF OFFICIAL CONCERN OVER DISSENT REGARDING YUGOSLAVIA'S MIDDLE EAST POLICIES. THIS CONNECTION, THERE ARE WIDESPREAD BUT UNCONFIRMED REPORTS THAT RIJEKA LONGSHOREMEN HAVE REFUSED LOAD ARMS FOR ARABS.  
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